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## BEAUCHAMP'S TRIAL.

SUBSTANCE OF THE EVIDENCE ON THE TRIAL OF JEROME O. BEAUCHAMP FOR THE MURDER OF SOLOMAN P. SHARP.

ON THE PART OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

Wednesday, May 17th.

Dr L J Sharp stated, that on the night of the 6th of Nov last, that on which his brother was killed, he was called out to attend on a black woman belonging to Mr C P Bacon, and had been there between an hour and an hour and a half, when a servant of his brother's burst open the door, and said his mistress had sent for him and that his master was dying on the carpet. He went as fast as he could, supposing that his brother had been taken in some fit, and on the way met Dr Scott who told him he had been murdered. When he came into the house, he found his sister, Mrs. Sharp, sitting on the floor with a pillow in her lap and his brother's head upon it. After some enquiries, he examined the wound. It was made with a very sharp instrument which he supposed to be a butcher knife, and penetrated the body about two inches below the pit of the stomach. It was something before he made up his mind whether the wound was made with an instrument sharp on both sides or not; but after making several experiments and recently examining the cuts in his brother's night clothes, which did not seem so smooth on one side as on the other, he had concluded that the wound was inflicted with a knife. When the person now arraigned was brought back to Frankfort, seven or eight days after the murder, he sent for witness while on the other side of the river, to come and see him. Witness resolved to go, and asked Gen South, Col Taylor and Gen Hardin to go with him, telling them to notice the prisoner's countenance, particularly, when they met, and that he would also observe it himself. The rest of the company went in first, and witness entered afterwards. He came within about five steps of the prisoner before he was observed. Beauchamp on turning round and seeing him, said, "How do ye do, Dr Sharp? Is this you Dr Sharp?" He then observed, that he had sent a message to witness desiring to see him, but understanding he had refused to see him, he had written, and asked witness if he would receive his letter, and was told he would. Prisoner then gave it him and his hand sensibly trembled as he handed it.

## CROSS EXAMINED.

Witness returned no answer to B's salutation, nor did B approach him. It was after a short pause that he said, is this you Dr Sharp? Witness did not see Joel Scott until morning. Between 9 and 10 o'clock in the morning he was told that a stranger from Simpson county had put up at Mr Scott's, but he did not think of Beauchamp. Afterwards, he saw Mr Scott or Mr Blair or both together, and was asked whether he knew that his brother had any enemies? He answered, not one so far as he knew. Mr Scott then told him, that Beauchamp staid the preceding night at his house. He did not then suspect Beauchamp, or know that he entertained the least hostile feeling towards his brother. It was some time after, that having conversed with Mr Brooking and learning that Beauchamp had met Mr Miller on the road that morning and had not told him of the murder, connecting these circumstances with those detailed by Scott, he began to think he might be the murderer. He had no agency in sending for Beauchamp, except that he furnished some money to bear expenses. He knew Beauchamp very well. His brother knew him well also; but not so well as witness. He had put into Beauchamp's hands, at the recommendation of Mr G Work, a note due his brother, for collection, amounting to \$75, which he collected and transmitted the money. He did not at first suspect Beauchamp, but thought of others, although his mind had no grounds to settle down upon. He had once or twice suggested one or two voices to his brother's wife; but she did not recognize them as the murderer's. During the winter his brother always slept in the room adjoining that in which he was murdered, where he slept that night; but in the summer he slept in the back room at the right hand of the passage, then occupied by Mr Bass and himself. His brother had changed from the latter to the former room from seven to ten days before his murder. The publication in the *Argus* in March last, signed with his name, was true so far as its statements depended on his own knowledge; particularly in relation to certain certificates, so far as he knows or believes. It was the general impression in the morning, that the track through the garden was that of the murderer or of some person who was with him. It was his impression, that the murderer must have run down the gravel walk by the stable; but others thought he passed through the garden. At that time, all thought it the track of the murderer or an accessory; but afterwards he began to doubt whether it was not his brother's track, as he had seen him in the evening trimming trees in the garden, and this he mentioned to Harvie, Bibb, and others. Dr Scott had, by mistake, put on his brother's boots and was then absent. As soon as he returned, witness sent for Mr Harvie and Mr Bibb, the latter of whom came, and on measuring the boot by the measure of the track, he was satisfied that it was not his brother's track. He has now no impression but what the track was that of the murderer or an accomplice.

Mrs Sharp stated, that on the night of her husband's murder, she was awakened by a knocking at the door in the alley, which she supposed to be some of Mr Bacon's family after Dr Sharp. She awoke before her husband, and on his waking, proposed to him to go to the door herself. But he said no, and the knocking still continuing, he got up and went to the door and asked, who is there? The person without answered, "your friend, John A. Covington," and he said he had been knocking at the front door some time. Her husband asked him how he came to be so late? He answered, that he had lost his way or got bewildered over the river, and on reaching town, found all the taverns full, and had come here for lodging. Her husband told him he should have it. On hearing the name, John A. Covington, and a strange voice, she was a little startled, and getting up, stood in the door of the bedroom, opening into the room where her husband was. He opened the door, and as it was lighter out of doors than in the room, she distinctly saw the assassin as he entered. She did not see

him extend his arm to take her husband's hand; but from the whiteness of the latter's night clothes, she was enabled to see him extend his hand and presume the stranger took it, and they advanced a little into the room. He then said, "Are you Col. Sharp?" Her husband answered, "I am." "I am," said he "John A. Covington—don't you know me?" Her husband replied, "I don't think I do." At that moment she perceived her husband start back suddenly, when she screamed and running back through her room and the porch into the room occupied by Dr Sharp and Mr Bass, alarmed Dr Scott, told him there was mischief going on in the house and enquired for a pistol. Dr Scott ran, but she called to him to get a candle and he went after one. She ran back through her own room into the dining room door which opens into the porch, she thought she heard her husband give one groan. As she entered the room, she saw a man standing on the steps, and when the light of the candle was seen advancing, he ran. The voice made such an impression upon her that she always said she should know it, if she ever heard it again. The reason it made such an impression was, that John W. Covington, her husband's friend, of whom she thought the moment she heard the name of Covington, has a peculiar voice, so much so that she would sooner trust her ears than her eyes to recognize him. These circumstances drew her particular attention to the voice. It was so dark she could not distinctly see the clothes of the assassin. As to size, he seemed too large for Beauchamp, unless he had on a great coat or cloak. He was neither very tall nor very low. She had since heard Beauchamp's voice; and she heard the same voice she heard that night. She could not be mistaken. It was at Mr McIntosh's, the tailor's. She was in Mrs. McIntosh's room when Beauchamp came with two others into the adjoining passage to dinner. She was about as near him as she was on that night. She was then anxious to hear him out of doors. He was drawn into conversation in the yard, and she heard and saw him through the window. The impression was so strong, that she almost fainted.

After the murder, several gentlemen being present, they took the body away. In her distress, she ran out and around the house. As she went round she saw a man standing with his hands on the dining room window looking in. He ran past her and within five feet. She called to the gentlemen that there was the murderer. They ran out, but seeing nothing, thought she was alarmed and imagined she saw some person. She thought the person she saw at the window, was the one that ran across the garden.

## CROSS EXAMINED.

When the man knocked at the door, she awakened, and on his knocking a second time, she awakened her husband. The murderer seemed larger than Beauchamp without his cloak on; but when she saw him at the jail with his cloak on, his size seemed to correspond precisely. The person that ran by her had no cloak on, and she is satisfied could not be the murderer. He appeared about the middle size; and she did not think quite so large as Beauchamp; but she did not see them in the same situation. She never knew that Beauchamp entertained the least hostile feeling towards her husband. She was well acquainted with Joel Scott, but not so well with McIntosh, who were the only persons at McIntosh's when she heard B's voice. She knew it was not the voice of Scott or McIntosh. She knew that B was to speak, but she did not know when. When she first heard him speak, she said, it is like it; when she heard him speak further, she said it must be the voice it was. She had suspicions that he was the assassin before she went to hear his voice. The statements made in her publication in the *Argus*, particularly relative to certain certificates are true, so far as she knows or believes. On the night of the murder she had revolved in her mind, who could have been so much the enemy of her husband? She then could fix on but one person as at all suspicious, and his voice did not correspond with that she had heard. But for the voice, she should have suspected the murderer to be another person. She never had seen Beauchamp or heard him speak before in her life. Mr. Rowan had advised her to get placed in a situation where she could hear B's voice, and Joel Scott had also given her the same advice.

The Jury and the Counsel then went in a body to view the house and garden of the late Col Sharp that they might better understand the testimony. William Allen, a witness attached for non-attendance at the last term, appeared and gave as his excuse, that Mr Darby had brought the subpoena down and put in his name in his presence; that he, Darby, told him it would not probably be necessary for him to attend at that term, as he was almost certain the trial would not come on; that if it was likely to do so, he would inform him by letter; that from Darby's agency in the business, and the publications in the newspapers, he supposed that he, Darby, was employed to aid in preparing the case on the part of the Commonwealth; and he therefore thought it not necessary for him to appear. The Judge took time until the next morning to consider, and then excused the witness, observing that he did not think his excuse a very good one. Several other witnesses made their apologies and were excused.

John Love stated, that sometime ago he was riding with Beauchamp, when the conversation turned upon Lawyers. B said he believed he would quit the profession. Witness approved of it, and in conversation as to the conduct of lawyers, told him of an instance in which he thought Col Sharp had treated him very ill as a witness in a suit in Bowlinggreen. The story took up some time in telling, and B said nothing. After witness had got through, B raised his hand and said, "John Love, the man I intend to kill I never say anything about."

Witness was at B's house on the evening of his return from Frankfort. He asked B where he had been? B said, to Frankfort. He asked, when he arrived there? B said, on Sunday evening. He asked, when he left there? B said, on Monday morning. He asked him, what news? B said, none in particular. He asked if he had done his business? B said he had done it to his satisfaction. B's sister Melinda observed, that her brother had brought home a flag. Witness asked, what flag? B said a red flag. He observed, a red flag was a token of war. B said, yes, of war and victory too; that the red flag is kept flying in victory; and by God he had gained a victory. After the conversation about the flag, B turned to witness and said John Love or Capt Low, I believe I shall soon be a Christian. Witness told him it would be a good thing. B said he had been lately more induced to think there was a God than ever before; for things had so turned up with him of late, that he believed God would give vengeance to those who ought to

have it. B did not inform witness of Col Sharp's murder.

## CROSS EXAMINED.

Witness lives about two miles from B's house. He was not there when B came home, but got there between sun down and dark.

Question by Mr. Mayes. What was your motive for going to Beauchamp's that evening? Witness said he had rather not answer that question. The Counsel for the Commonwealth insisted and the prisoner's counsel objected; and after argument the judge decided that witness was not bound to answer.

To further questions the Witness answered, that the first conversation with Beauchamp was shortly after his marriage and the second the evening of his return from Frankfort. He did not know that it was a secret in the neighbourhood where B was gone, but it was a matter of enquiry; he did not know until the evening preceding his return.

Thursday, May 18th.

Mr Kelly, an attached witness, gave as an excuse the same facts as those stated by Wm Allen, with the additional one, that he had no horse and could get none. The Commonwealth's attorney asked him, if he did not know, that Mr Darby was not prosecuting attorney in this district? He said he did not. The court excused him on the ground of want of a horse; but thought it a poor excuse that he had received information different from that contained in the subpoena, unless from the party summoning him.

Mr Love being again called, stated, that Beauchamp had been for some time preparing to leave the country. The night of his return from Frankfort, he had solicited witness to drive his wagon as far as Hopkinsville, which he at first declined but finally agreed to do it for double wages. He was to start the next Sunday morning, at which time B said he would or must start, and appeared very anxious. Witness had received written communications from Beauchamp, which he would produce if required.

He then produced a letter and a written communication consisting of six sheets of paper, which it appeared he had received through the wife of Beauchamp. The counsel for the prisoner admitted, that the letter was good evidence, but objected to the other paper, because it was not addressed to him and he had received it from B's wife. An argument ensued, at the close of which the papers were handed to the judge, who took time to read and consider.

Mr Love further cross examined.

Witness received the letter sometime before the other paper. He thought it was prisoner's wife that handed him the letter, but it might be his brother. He had received letters by both, but could not tell whether he had received more than one by his brother or not.

James C Hayes, stated that two years ago sometime before last Christmas, in a conversation with Beauchamp after a dispute between them arising out of the manner in which B had treated him while examining him as a witness against a person taken up for horse stealing, witness three times mentioned Col Sharp to him as the most eminent Lawyer in the country &c. when B said "damn Col Sharp, don't name him to me; if ever I get an opportunity I'll send him to hell, where he ought to have been many years ago." Witness lived 25 miles from Beauchamp and had lived there 20 years.

Patrick H Darby stated, that of the immediate death of Col Sharp he knew nothing. He was first informed of it in his room before day. He supposed the evidence wanted from him by a person who he supposed to be Beauchamp. In September 1824 he was returning from Tennessee to Elizabethtown in Kentucky, and had stopped at Duncan's well to drink, when a man rode up about the size of Beauchamp and asked if he was not Mr Darby who had lately removed from Nashville to Kentucky. Witness replied, that he was. He then said he wanted to employ him in some business. Witness said, he was a candidate for business. After speaking of it as a matter of delicacy, he told witness that he supposed he had heard of the former connection between Col Sharp and his wife, and said he had claims on that account against Col Sharp. Witness did not recollect, whether the claims were bottomed on a promise made to himself or to his wife, but thinks it was his wife. He said, Col Sharp had promised \$1000, 200 acres of land and a negro, one third of all which he offered to witness if he would bring a suit against Col Sharp. Witness told him that Col Sharp was a man of standing at the bar; and besides, there was a law of the state which prohibited the taking of such a fee. Witness asked, what evidence he had to establish the claim? He said he had evidence, but witness did not remember whether he said it consisted of papers or not. Witness told him his business would be at Elizabethtown and not in Frankfort, with the exception of the Federal Court. He said, he was going to Missouri and the suit must be brought in the federal court. Witness then thought it his duty at once to tell him, that he could not enforce these claims, because the consideration was vicious. He then got into a rage, said that S P Sharp's conduct towards his wife had been wrong; spoke very highly of his wife; and said if Col Sharp did not settle these claims he would come to Frankfort and shoot him down in the streets. Witness told him Sharp was a man of property and would rather settle these claims than have such a suit brought against him, and the wife, settled in the state, he would hear of it; and in that case, if he would send him the papers he would try to procure a settlement from Col Sharp. After witness had remounted his horse and was travelling along the road, he began to reflect what had been said, and he particularly remembered, that in riding through a small field he considered how far he should be bound to conceal what had been said to him, should any thing serious ensue from the threat, on account of having been consulted as a lawyer. Last winter he passed along the same road to the well and saw the same old field. He is satisfied the conversation was held at that place. It was about the 1st of Sept. 1824. He should not have known Beauchamp to be the man. His countenance did not make so strong an impression on his mind as to cause him to remember it. He had on light clothes and rode a small horse.

## CROSS EXAMINED.

The man who consulted him at the well, did not tell his name, that he could remember. The well is about 200 yards from the house. It is not his impression, that the person who consulted him, was at or came from the house, or that he had so stated before the examining court. He rented an office in Frankfort in 1824; but was in Tennessee during most of the year 1824. He at first advertised and intended to settle at Elizabethtown. The reason which led him to reflect how far he might be bound as a Lawyer, in case the person executed his threat, to conceal it, was, that such a question had arisen in Tennessee in a case in which he was concerned. The person stated that Col. Sharp had refused to comply with his promises, but he did not know whether application had been made by himself or not.

Question by Mr. Pope. Did you not state on your former examination, that the person consulting you, said, Col. Sharp had not refused to comply with his promises? A Witness could tell what he said. When he told the person that Col. Sharp was a man of property and would rather settle the claim than have a suit brought against him, and that he would apply to Col. Sharp for that purpose, he said Col. Sharp had not refused to settle it in preference to standing a suit.

Q Did you not state at first, that this conversation took place at Brandenburg in Meade county? A On the evening after the murder, I consulted with C. P. Bacon and Col. Taylor, upon sending out persons on the different roads to ascertain who had left Frankfort on that morning, and gave \$10 for that purpose, as no effort had been made. I however met Robert Crittenden, who told me that Beauchamp had been here. When it was first stated that Beauchamp or the man who had married Miss Cook had been here, I remembered this conversation, but had some difficulty in locating it, or recollecting where it was. I communicated it to Dr Brown, Mr. Chapman and others, and told them it was at Brandenburg. Mr. William Allen had introduced me to a man at that place, whom I believed to be Beauchamp, and I thought I had there heard him threaten Col. Sharp; but when I saw Beauchamp, I did not recognize his face as the same.

Q Did you not state unequivocally, until just before the examination of Beauchamp, that the threats you had heard B. make, were made at Brandenburg? A I did so state.

Q Did you until that time, ever intimate to any human being, that you had heard Beauchamp threaten Col. Sharp's life at any other place, save at Brandenburg? A I never did. I did believe it was at Brandenburg.

Q Did it ever occur to your mind, until shortly before the examination, that you had heard these threats at Duncan's well? A It did not.

Q Did you not continue to state, that it was at Brandenburg, until you ascertained that Beauchamp never had been there? A From the time I was told that Beauchamp was here on the night of the murder until I saw him at Hampton's, I stated that I had seen him at Brandenburg and no where else. Beauchamp then said he had never been there.

To further questions, the witness replied, that when he found that the conversation was not at Brandenburg, he began to consider where it was; that the conversation had made a deeper impression on his mind than the place where it was held; that he had no secrets in this business; that he wished Mr. Hardin was here to state all he had ever said to him; that he did tell Mr. Hardin he thought he had passed Beauchamp's house and seen his wife; that he had asked Mr. Miller where Beauchamp resided, and was told he lived off the road; that he learnt the house he had mistaken for Beauchamp's was Mr. Jackson's; that in passing he rode up to the house and saw Mrs. Jackson, who told him that her husband was out; that he saw Jackson coming to the house with a bag; that he never was at Beauchamp's house or saw his wife; that he had said that Thomas Carroll, brother of Governor Carroll of Tennessee, had told him in Elizabethtown, on hearing of Col. Sharp's announcement as a candidate last year, he believed if he were elected, he would never take his seat, for that Beauchamp would kill him. Witness said, Carroll was a man of bad character, and no man ought to be convicted on his testimony.

Witness said, that last year he was conversing with Dr. Brown and J. J. Crittenden, when Col. Sharp came up; that he told Col. Sharp they were soliciting Mr. Crittenden to offer as a candidate, and he understood that if Crittenden was a candidate, he, Col. S. would be; that Col. Sharp said, there was no authority for the report, and further said, as witness believes, that if Crittenden would come out he would support him. Witness had no evidence that Beauchamp never was at Brandenburg but his own assertion, which would not go far with him.

Question by Mr. Pope. What reason had you to suppose that the house at which you called in Simpson county was Beauchamp's house? A It is not usual for lawyers to live in the woods. I had no reason, but that Beauchamp was a lawyer. I was told that B was a lawyer, and lived several miles from Frankfort; that a lawyer lived there; and it was near that place where I had seen Beauchamp.

Q When did you pass that house? A I have passed it three or four times in as many years. Last winter I did not go so low down.

Q When did you get an impression, that it was Beauchamp's house? Was it when you passed it? A No; it was a subsequent impression, taken up last fall, after Col. Sharp was killed, and grew out of the circumstance of Jackson being a lawyer and living about seven miles from Frankfort, which corresponded with the account I had heard of Beauchamp. Witness went to Col. Miller's room for the purpose of enquiring where Beauchamp lived, but could not tell whether it was before or after he was brought up.

Q Did you have any conversation with any person at Brandenburg relative to Col. Sharp? A I do not recollect whether I had or not.

Q Are you or are you not satisfied, that you never was at Beauchamp's house; that you never had any communication with him, or his wife, or his family, except with him at Duncan's well? A I never saw Beauchamp's house, never had any conversation with him except at the well, and never saw his wife or his family.

Q Have you had any other communication, direct or indirect, oral or written, with him, his wife, or family, except as you have related? A I have never had any other communication with him, his wife or family, before the murder or since, except at Duncan's well.

Q Have you been at Duncan's since? A I have.

Q Did you see any marks upon the rails there that you recollect? A I went from Frankfort on purpose to procure the means of ascertaining my own statements, which were called in question. I told several persons in Frankfort, that while talking with Beauchamp at the well, I had taken out my knife and cut a notch in a fence rail, which I thought I could find. I asked several gentlemen to ride with me to the well, and Mr. Mills went. I found the fence and a rail cut, bearing marks of having been cut about that time. If it be not the same, it is another like it and cut in the same manner.

Q Was you on horseback when Beauchamp accosted you? A No; I had alighted. I had been making merry with my friends in Nashville the night before, and getting dry, had stopped to drink.

Q Did you not state on your former examination, that as you rode by Duncan's some one called to you from the house, and told you there was a gentleman there who wished to speak to you? A Not that I recollect. If I said any thing of the kind, it must have been in relation to Jackson's house.

Q Did you never describe to any person Beauchamp's furniture nor his wife? A I never did describe B's furniture or his wife, I recollect telling Mr. Hardin, the woman I took for Mrs. B. had a little white headed child standing by her in the door; but I believe Mrs. B. has no children.

Q Do you not recollect stating on your former examination, that a man called to you from the house as you was riding by and told you there was a man there who wished to see you, and that the man you take to be Beauchamp, came out and you walked with him to the well? A I do not recollect making any such statement. If I did, it was incorrect. I am satisfied it was not so.

To further questions the witness answered, that he had no distinct recollection, that the man told him his name, nor could he say that the prisoner is the same man; he has no doubt that he told him he had married Miss Cook; if he had thought his threat serious, he would have communicated it to Col. Sharp, but he thought it mere gasconade; that he had been informed various rumours were afloat implicating him in this affair; that previous to his departure to the South, he had gone to the office and got twelve blank subpoenas, some to be used for the support of his own statements and character, and some for the conviction of the prisoner; that he took them without knowing what witnesses he should summon; that he had no confidence in that man (pointing to Jeremiah Beauchamp, the uncle of the prisoner) after he saw his letter to his nephew; that he determined to traverse the lower country to procure the means of vindicating himself, and armed himself because he must pass through the country where the Beauchamps live; that he had started in this business to tell the truth and maintain his character here or elsewhere, if it were at the expense of his life. (He then read a copy of the letter of J. Beauchamp to his nephew in jail, charging him, Darby, with the murder, and declaring that he would use every exertion to fix it on him.) This was his motive for taking the subpoenas; he had no confidence in the prosecution here at one time, nor until he learned that Mr. Sharp, (Abraham as is supposed) was engaged in it. J. H. Holeman told him of the letter; he went to Scott, and through him got McIntosh to let him see it and take a copy.

Q Do you not consider the conviction of J. O. Beauchamp important to yourself? A I do not.

Q Why then did you carry your exertions beyond the support of your own character? A So far as I have carried them further, I have acted as a citizen. I believed it my duty as well as that of every honest man, to aid in bringing the murderer to punishment. I felt justified before God and the world, and have nothing to fear from either.

Q Did you not just state, that Mr. B's letter was the motive which roused you? A That was part of the motive.

Q Was it not your chief motive? A I was among the first here to propose sending out to discover the murderer; I was anxious for his detection; but I should not have taken the trouble to ride from here to Frankfort, and over a dangerous road too, but on my own account.

Q Did you not at the commencement, avow that the conviction of the prisoner, was necessary to exculpate the Old Court party from this crime? A The charge made against that party of having instigated the murder, was a base act and known to be false by those who made it. I believed it was necessary for the honor of the state, that there should be a thorough investigation. I did not believe, that the Old Court party did it; but I knew not what might have been done by the New Court party.

Q Did you not stimulate the prosecution for the purpose of relieving the Old Court party from suspicion as a "Constitutional Advocate"? A I thought it necessary that an investigation should take place, and that it ought not to be re-mitted; for I thought it necessary, that the country should be rid of the foul calumny that a base man had started, looking and pointing, it is said, to one of the Editors of this paper who was engaged in noting down his testimony.

Q Did you over state your reasons, why uncommon exertions should be made? A They were, that the guilty might be found out and hanged, whether he be for the Old Court or the New Court.

Q Was you not apprized early that you was suspected? A I was first informed of it in January by Gen. Wm. Hardin. I saw the slander in the newspapers, and was told it was to be kept up by little and little until near the election, when it was to be divulged in full for base purposes.

Q Did you ever intimate to Col. Sharp, that any person had such claims against him or had threatened his life? A I never did to him or any body else. I had no conception, that Beauchamp's threats indicated any thing more than a momentary passion or overflow of feeling. After informing Dr. Sharp, Harvie and Crittenden of the threats, from the loose manner of my recollection I did not wish to be called on as a witness, and told Dr. Sharp that by sending down to Bowlinggreen, I had no doubt he could procure evidence of threats; for I presumed he had said the same thing to others that he had said to me. But I told him, if he could not procure similar evidence from others, I would testify although I did not wish to do it. I did not at any time think B's threats other than idle; but after I saw Col. Sharp murdered, I knew it must have been done by somebody; for he could not have killed himself. The question was who did it? As soon as I heard that the man who married Miss Cook was in town, I recollect his threats and communicated them to Dr. Sharp.

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penatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the several Claims to lands recommended for confirmation in the report of the Register of the Land Office at Opelousas, in the State of Louisiana, dated on the first day of October one thousand eight hundred and twenty five, and which are designated in that report by letter A, and numbered one, two, three, four, eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, seventeen eighteen, nineteen, twenty, twenty one, twenty two, twenty three, twenty five, twenty six, thirty one, thirty two, thirty three, thirty four, thirty eight, thirty nine, forty one, forty two, forty three, forty four, forty five forty six, forty seven, forty eight, fifty two, fifty three, fifty four fifty five fifty six fifty nine sixty sixty one



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Speaker of the House of Representatives.  
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Approved—May 16, 1826.

[PUBLIC—No. 42]  
AN ACT to alter the lines between the Land Districts in the Territory of Michigan.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the boundaries of the Southern Land District, in the Territory of Michigan, as established by the act passed the third of March, eighteen hundred and twenty-three, entitled, "An act to establish an additional land office in the Territory of Michigan," shall be so altered, as that, from the point where the present boundary line between the third and fourth townships south intersects the meridian line, the boundary of the said District shall run north with the meridian line until it shall intersect the base line, and thence with the said line west to Lake Michigan.

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[PUBLIC—No. 43]  
AN ACT to extend the time allowed for the redemption of land sold for direct taxes, in certain cases.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the time allowed for the redemption of lands which have been or may be sold for the non-payment of taxes under the several acts passed on the second August, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen; the ninth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifteen; &c; the fifth day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixteen, for laying and collecting a direct tax within the United States, so far as the same have been purchased for, or on behalf of the United States, be revived and be extended for the further term of two years, from and after the expiration of the present session of Congress: *Provided, also*, That, on such redemption, interest shall be paid at the rate of twenty per centum on the taxes aforesaid, and on the addition of twenty per centum chargeable thereon; and the right of redemption shall ensure, as well to the heirs and assigns of the land so purchased on behalf of the United States, as to the original owners thereof.

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[PUBLIC—No. 44]  
AN ACT for authorizing the building of Light Houses and Light Vessels, erecting Beacon Lights, placing Buoys, removing obstructions in the River Savannah, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be and he is hereby, empowered to provide by contract for building Light Houses and Light Vessels, and erecting Beacons and Beacon Lights, and placing Buoys, on the following sites or shoals, to wit: In the State of Maine, a Light House on Matinicus Rock, and one on Penikese Point. In the State of Massachusetts, a Light Vessel to be anchored at or near Tuckanuck Shoal, in the Vineyard Sound; the tonnage of the Light Vessel not to be under one hundred and twenty tons; a Light House on the end of Sandy Neck, at or near the mouth of the Barnstable Harbour. A Light House at or near the end of Long Point, Provincetown Harbor.

In the State of Connecticut, a Light House at or near the mouth of Norwalk Harbor, to be located on the Ranton Neck, or on the west end of Norwalk Long Island, under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury, after an examination of those sites shall have been made by suitable persons, to be by him appointed for that purpose. A Beacon on the Round Shoals, at the mouth of Ousatic River.

In the State of New York, a Light House at or near Dunkirk, on Lake Erie. One at the East end of Lake Erie, on a proper site to be selected, at or near the mouth of Buffalo Creek. One on the west end of Plum Island, in Long Island Sound; and one on Tibit's Point, in Lake Ontario.

In the States of New York and New Jersey, a Light House upon the Bluff near Fort Tompkins on Staten Island, one in Princes Bay on said Island; and one on the Highland of Neversink.

In Delaware Bay, a Light House on the Brandywine Shoals.

In the State of Maryland, a Light House on Cove Point, instead of Bear Point, as heretofore ordered. A Light House on Smith's Island, or on Concord Point, at or near the mouth of the Susquehanna River, and a Light Vessel to be anchored at or near Hooper's straits Chesapeake Bay.

In the State of Virginia, a Light House on Smith's Island, near Cape Charles, on a proper site to be selected, under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury.

In the State of North Carolina, a Light Vessel, not to be under fifty, nor exceed eighty tons, to be anchored at the southwest Straddle of the Royal Shoal. And the Beacon on Federal Point, at the New Inlet of Cape Fear River, to be made a Beacon Light.

In the State of South Carolina, a Light House on Cape Romaine, or its vicinity, or a Light Vessel to be anchored off the said Cape, or its vicinity, the preference to be given to the one or the other, which, in the opinion of the Secretary of the Treasury, shall best subserve the purposes of navigation, and afford security to the same.

In the State of Georgia, a Beacon on Grass Island at the entrance of Cockspur harbour.

In the State of Mississippi, a Light House on the Mississippi river, at the town of Natchez.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the following sums of money be, and the same are hereby appropriated, to wit:

In the State of Maine, four thousand dollars for a Light House on Matinicus Rock and four thousand dollars for one on Penikese Point.

on the Middle Ground shoal, near the entrance of Salem harbour, and one on the Ledge Rocks, off Dorchester Flatts, in Boston harbour; three thousand five hundred dollars for a Light House on the end of Sandy Neck, at or near the mouth of Barnstable harbour; and two hundred dollars for placing Buoys on proper sites, in or near the harbour of Gloucester.

In the State of Rhode Island, sixty dollars for Buoys on Sally Rock, at or near the entrance of the harbour of East Greenwich.

In the State of Connecticut, four thousand dollars for a Light House, to be located on Ranton Neck, or on the west end of Norwalk, Long Island; one thousand dollars for a Beacon on the Round Shoals, at the mouth of the Ousatic river; one hundred and twenty-five dollars for placing Buoys in the following sites, to wit: one on Brown Reef, and one on Bird's Reef, at or near the entrance of Branford harbour; and one hundred dollars for making an examination and a survey, if necessary, to ascertain the utility and expense of erecting Beacons in Long Island, on Shipman's Reef, lying near the promontory of the same name, in Stamford, on Smith's Ledge, opposite the town of Darien, and on a Reef known by the name of Patrick's House, at the western extremity of Norwalk harbour.

In the State of New York, a Light House at or near Dunkirk, six thousand dollars, on Lake Erie; two thousand five hundred dollars for one at the east end of Lake Erie, on a site to be selected; four thousand dollars for one on Plum Island, in Long Island; three thousand dollars for one on Tibit's Point, Lake Ontario.

In the State of New Jersey, three hundred dollars for placing Buoys at proper sites, five buoys at the entrance of the harbor of Little Egg Harbour.

In the Bay of Delaware, twenty-nine thousand two hundred dollars for a Light House on the Brandywine Shoals.

In the State of Maryland, three thousand five hundred dollars for a Light House on Smith's Island; two thousand five hundred dollars for one on Concord Point, at or near the mouth of Susquehanna river; and four thousand dollars for a light vessel at Hooper's Straits.

In the States of Maryland and Virginia, six hundred and sixty dollars for placing buoys in the river Potomac, to wit: One at Port Tobacco shoals, four on the south side of Nanjemoy Reach, one on Lower Cedar Point Bar, one on Crane Island Bar, and four for designating the channel in that part of the River called the Kettle Bottoms.

In the State of Virginia, ten thousand dollars for a Light House on Smith's Island, near Cape Charles on a proper site to be selected.

In the State of North Carolina, nine thousand five hundred dollars for a Light Vessel, to be anchored at the southwest Straddle, Royal Shoal; and two thousand dollars for a Beacon Light on Federal Point, Cape Fear river; and one hundred and sixty dollars for buoys, to be placed on proper sites, on the north and south sides of New Inlet, near Federal Point.

In the State of South Carolina, two hundred and forty dollars for Buoys, to be placed on the Bar of Georgetown; and seventeen thousand dollars for a Light House on Cape Romaine, or a Light Vessel to be anchored off said Cape.

In the State of Alabama, three hundred and twenty dollars for Buoys, to be placed on the following Points, to wit: A Spar Buoy at the Southwest extremity of the Shoal projecting from Mobile Point, one on the West side of the Channel on the Bar, one on the Southeast side of the Spit projecting from Sand Island, and one on Dog River Bar.

In the State of Louisiana, one thousand one hundred dollars, for placing eleven Buoys on proper sites, at the entrance of the Mississippi River, and six hundred dollars for three Lamps or Lights, to wit: one for Petit Coqueles, one for Chief Menteur and one for Fort St. Philip.

In the State of Georgia, fifty thousand dollars, to be applied under the direction of the President of the United States, to remove obstructions in the River Savannah, below the City of Savannah; one thousand five hundred dollars for a Beacon on Grass Island, at the entrance of Cockspur Harbour.

In the State of Mississippi, not exceeding one thousand five hundred dollars for a Light House on the Mississippi River, at the Town of Natchez. In the Territory of Florida, not exceeding sixteen thousand dollars for a Light House on Sambo Keys, or on Sand Key.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That the Keeper of Quaddy Head Light House, in the State of Maine, shall be allowed, in addition to his present salary, the sum of sixty dollars annually, for ringing the Bell connected with said Light House, from the time he commenced ringing said Bell.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That, when the Light House directed to be built on the highlands of Neversink, in the State of New Jersey, shall be built and lighted, the Light Vessel, at present anchored at the Hook, shall be removed, and anchored at or near Five Fathom Bank, off the Capes of Delaware Bay. And also, that when the Brandywine Light House shall be lighted, the Brandywine Light Vessel, if the same will answer the purpose, shall be anchored at or near Tuckanuck Shoal, in the Vineyard Sound.

Sec. 5. And be it further enacted, That, when ever the Light House, directed to be built on a proper site, near Buffalo Creek, in the State of New York, shall be built and lighted, the present Light House near Buffalo shall not be lighted. And that the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby authorized to cause the Light House, heretofore directed to be built on Throgg's Neck, to be erected either on the said Neck, or the Reef adjacent thereto, as he may deem expedient.

Sec. 6. And be it further enacted, That the several appropriations herein made shall be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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Approved—May 16, 1826.

JOHN QUINCY ADAMS.

NOTICE.

All persons are hereby cautioned against dealing for or taking an assignment on a note given by me for the payment of a note for five hundred and nine dollars to Jacob Houser, as I am determined not to pay said note. I do not recollect the date of the note or when it becomes due, but it is the only note given by me to said Houser.

GEORGE MASON.  
June 1st 1826—22-31\*

J. WINN,

Just received by the Steam boats  
WASHINGTON and GENERAL  
WAYNE, from New Orleans, a large supply of

GROCERIES;

Among which are the following viz.

30 Hogsheads and 40 barrels superior brown sugar,  
20 Barrels Molasses—Lard and Lamp Sugar,  
20 Barrels No 2 and 3 Portsmouth Mackerel,  
5000 lbs best green Havana Coffee,  
Guano powder, Imperial and Young Hyson Teas,  
Indigo, Copraes, Rosin, Almonds, Cloves, Cassia,  
Pimento, Nutmegs and Pepper,

Best No 1 Choccolate,  
A few cases best Cognac Brandy,  
Table salt and nails in kegs,  
Queensware by the crate,

All of which are offered at reduced prices whole sale or retail next door to the Post Office, Main street Lexington.

May 19, 1826—20-1f.

## THE KENTUCKY GAZETTE.

EDITED BY JOHN BRADFORD.

FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 9, 1826.

If the tall young man, with fair hair dressed in blue clothes, who dropped into our communication box about the 27th ult. a false notice of the marriage of two young ladies (sisters) on the same day, intended for publication in the Kentucky Gazette, will favor us with his name, we pledge ourselves to give it to such publicity, as will with certainty insure to him the treatment such a transaction merits.

Mr. John McIntosh jailor of Franklin county has published in the argus of the 7th inst an article stating: "that the Governor, had not either before Beauchamp's trial or since visited the jail, or had any communication with Beauchamp so far as I know or believe, either directly or indirectly."

We received the article too late for this day's paper but will give it in our next.

The Rev. JOHN WARD will deliver a Lecture on the principles of Masonry on Monday evening next in Davis's Lodge No 22 which meets in the Grand Masonic Hall at the usual hour, Transient Brothers, as well as those belonging to the different Lodges in this place, are respectfully invited to attend.

FOR THE GAZETTE.

It is currently reported and generally believed 1st That certain great men on Main Street and Jordan's row in the city of Gotham, are very fearful that the candidates in favor of the people rights opposed to Banks and small kings, will declare generally, in favour of a repeal of the new court law.

2d That the same persons are fearful if the said candidates should so declare themselves, that the people will support them.

3d That certain demagogues, who are fearful of the consequences of the disclosure of Beauchamp are already laying an anchor to windward to weather the gale.

4th That they who are thus fearful of his disclosure perhaps know some facts which are calculated to justify their fears.

5th That the reason why Tom Smith does not publish in the Reporter the names of the candidates in Fayette who are in favor of the compromise, is because it would be altogether without precedent, not required by fair dealing, not an act of Justice to his subscribers and not expected by the public.

6 That the author of the communication in the last Reporter signed "Foresight" deserves well of his country and posterity, for the detection of the nefarious schemes of the relief party, as explained in his said essay.

7 That the policy of binding the voters of this county in a written obligation to vote for Messrs Breckinridge, Flournoy and True, is an original idea, and well calculated to exalt the character of its projector; and that the next caucus of the rules of Fayette will award him a leather medal.

8 That as the decree is gone forth from the Grand Lama, that only 15 candidates in favor of compromise are to be elected in the whole state, that measures will soon be taken to apportion that number in the districts in the state, so that the different divisions may have due representation.

9 That a rule is established, by which none are allowed to call names in public but the editor of the Reporter, who is to have unlimited license to use the Billingsgate vocabulary, "ad libitum" and that particularly he is to be allowed to call John Randolph "blackguard," as often as he pleases.

10 That snakes in the grass are much more dangerous than those which are openly seen, and that a flat headed viper, a very severe kind of serpent, is worse even than the old Rattlesnake.

The following extract of a letter from a gentleman who is an acknowledged statesman, and residing in an adjoining state, (beyond the influence of party feelings) to his friend in Lexington is worthy the notice of every true republican.

"Having now some leisure I shall beg to hear and read every thing about Kentucky.

"You are now doing what I told you long since should have been done last year: Had the cause of attack and defence now pursued by the friends of the New Court, been adopted previous to the last election, I would have pledged my life on a different result. But you must go still further than you have yet done—you must to politics pursue the system of tactics in modern war, carry the war into the enemy's own territory,—when you are calumniated and vilified, it is not enough that you defend yourselves merely, but you must attack in turn: I know enough of Kentucky to know how valuable many of the greatest boasters are. In 1798 the feds laid claim to all the wealth, talents and morality of the country; it came to be seen however, that the spear of Ithuriel in the hands of Duane presented these braggers in their true character, and upon instituting a comparison, it was found, that a large portion of the talents, wealth and morality men, were bankrupts, drivellers and debauchers. I believe that more was done by that single newspaper in putting down the dominant party, of that day, than by all the others on the same side together—the reason was the Aurora not only defended the republican men and republican doctrines, but it attacked federal men—in unmasked and exposed their dangerous heresies in politics.—Their hypocrisy in morals and religion, and it did this by naming the men, bell weathers, leaders of the party and exposing their rottenness.

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complaint of her death, yet she was seldom heard to complain of the agony she suffered. To her friends she would sometimes moralise upon the evils of life in a manner that astonished, and with an eye steady faintly fixed upon the mercy of Heaven, proved that she could pass through the valley and shadow of death with the calm fortitude of a Christian.

Had she recovered, her fine ligence and goodness would have adorned the circle she seemed destined to move in—but her friends have this belief to console them; that she has gained the highest prize that awaits the virtuous and good.

In this place on the 6th inst Mr. Abraham Whitaker formerly of Baltimore.

## FOURTH OF JULY.



## The National Jubilee.

THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE will be celebrated in the vicinity of Nicholasville, where refreshments, the very best the country can afford will be provided for the accommodation of such ladies and gentlemen as may please to attend, by their very obedient servant

MOSES HAWKINS.

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## POET'S CORNER.

For the Gazette.

"Tis sweet to muse in solitude,  
On months and years now past;  
"Tis sweet to know past conduct good,  
To think that it will last,  
"Tis sweet to think on childhood's hours  
So innocently gay;  
"Tis sweet amidst the shady bowers  
To view the sun's last ray.

"Tis sweet amidst the spreading trees,  
To hear the little warblers sing,  
"Tis sweet, reclining at our ease,  
To list when bells at distance ring.  
"Tis sweet, in yon extensive cave,  
To stand and view the rippling stream,  
Begin its journey to the wave,  
Its source beneath the earth unseen.

"Tis sweet upon the bank to sit  
And see the fishes sport and play;  
Or view the lambs in sportive fit,  
Activity and joy display.

"Tis sweet within that coolest shade,  
To pore o'er Scott's or Byron's rhyme;  
"Tis sweet to sit in solitude,  
And read the news of present time.

"Tis sweet to live in converse kind,  
With friends our hearts approve;  
"Tis sweet to hear those friends in mind  
Divided from our love.  
"Tis sweet to see the sparkling eye  
Of beauty beam with joy;  
Sweeter, to hush the rising sigh  
And beauty's smile enjoy.

"Tis sweet beneath fair freedom's trees,  
Our time to pass in joy;  
Let none infringe our liberty,  
Let none our right destroy.  
Long may its branches, spreading wide,  
Aristocratic power keep down;  
Long, long may freedom's son's desire  
And humble tyrants with a frown.

OSCAR.

## CABINET WAREHOUSE.

THE Subscribers having united in carrying on the Cabinet Business, under the firm of **WILSON & HENRY**, take this opportunity of informing the public, that they occupy the same stand for so many years in possession of Robert Wilson. His Shop has been rebuilt, and is well stocked with tools and workmen of the best kind. The firm has laid in an excellent stock of **MAHOGANY**, as well as every other material necessary for their business, and they can safely say, that they are prepared to execute with neatness and dispatch, any order in their line.

They will in a short time, have a large assortment of Sideboards, Bureaus, Bedsteads, &c. finished, and will be glad to see their friends call and examine for themselves.

### Mattresses,

Made at the shortest notice, and in superior style.  
**ROBERT WILSON,  
JOHN HENRY.**  
Lexington, Sept. 1st, 1825—35tf

## JAMES B. JANUARY.

PRESENTS his compliments to his clients and informs them, that during his temporary absence, their business in Fayette circuit court will be attended to by Richard H. Chinn, Esq. Col. Leslie Combs and Col. Thomas M. Hickey, and in the Jessamine circuit court by Maj. James Shannon and Capt. Levi L. Todd.  
Lexington Jan 27th, 1826—4tf.

**JAMES SHANNON, Late of Wheeling, Va.** Will practice law in the Circuit and County Courts of Fayette, and the Circuit Courts of Bourbon and Jessamine. All business entrusted to him will receive prompt attention. His office is on Short Street.  
Lex. Dec. 20, 1824—25tf.

## Journeymen Blacksmiths.

I will give liberal wages to a few journeymen, well acquainted with the blacksmith's business, and who can come well recommended.  
**JOHN EADS.**  
Lexington March 24, 1825—12tf

## FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

STRAYED or Stolen from the Stable of Daniel B. Price in Nicholasville on the night of the 27th inst. a sorrel horse, four years old this Spring, fifteen and a half hands high, hind feet white with some red spots around the edge of the hoof, a spot one or two inches long mixed with white and red hairs behind the withers, on the left side produced by the Saddle, a few white hairs above or near the curl in the forehead, a very small white spot on the right side of the body which has the appearance of a burn, (the three last mentioned marks only discoverable when tolerably close viewed) the hair a little worn off, of the side by the saddle girth, no other marks recollected.

I will give the above reward for the horse and detection and conviction of the thief or twenty dollars or the horse if found out of Jessamine County, if found in the county a reasonable reward—the horse was raised on the farm of John Price Clarke county, and if liberty it is probable he will make his course to that place.  
**JEFFERSON PRICE.**  
Nicholasville March 29 1826—13tf

## Morocco Manufactory.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has commenced the above business in Lexington on Main Street, and from a long experience in one of the principal cities in Europe, and the United States also, he flatters himself he will produce articles in his line equal to any in the Union suitable for Shoe Makers, Hatters, Coach Makers, Saddlers and Book Binders which he will sell twenty per cent less than imported skins.

This he hopes will induce the consumers in the Western Country to give a preference to their own manufacture.

N. B. A constant supply of hatters **WOOL** on hand.  
**PATRICK GEORGEAN.**  
January 13th, 1825—2tf

## LEXINGTON DYE-HOUSE.

THE subscriber has lately removed from his old stand on Main Street, to the large stone house formerly occupied by Mr. W. Tod, on Water St. between the Lower and Upper market Houses; where **SILKS, CRAPES, CLOTHES, &c.** &c. will be dyed in various colours and finished equal to any in America or Europe, and warranted durable.

All kinds of **GARMENTS** will be **SCOURED AND DRESSED** in the best manner, and at the shortest notice. Having had long experience in this business, he doubts not, his efforts to please his customers, will prove satisfactory.

**WILLIAM CARILL.**  
Lexington April 6, 1826—14tf.



## JAMES M. PIKE'S

### Official Prize List of the eighth day's Drawing of the Grand Masonic Hall Lottery,

Which took place in the GRAND HALL, on Monday the 1st inst. (Numbers with no amount against them are Prizes of TEN dollars each.)

20	1247	2256	15	3398	5373
40	15	1315	299	3417	4402
54	359	2337	440	411	
56	1474	376	407	422	
154	20	433	393	3507	444
167	500	440	395	15	522
175	464	397	543	5510	
195	470	2408	549	524	
207	474	20	426	561	590
233	497	433	3608	597	
241	498	441	618	4607	
246	1505	444	15	633	615
323	522	458	15	661	20
338	529	493	8700	15	691
348	637	15	2522	708	698
382	15	549	549	716	50
469	569	555	720	744	
476	580	2616	745	774	
599	15	594	654	771	795
601	15	1621	2714	3324	4824
637	623	723	830	20	846
651	675	725	843	100	880
662	676	756	3912	891	15
765	1756	2616	15	950	4906
866	20	1831	856	15	971
916	20	386	857	980	50
982	1000	895	881	20	4004
984	1969	3023	32	15	5150
965	995	100	76	33	141
976	15	2011	3111	20	37
1065	8	100	123	35	160
69	86	141	86	166	
81	2107	2326	4118	174	
86	157	267	125	183	
1104	168	281	50	153	5400
1113	2203	3342	4223	20	210
116	205	15	356	226	225
163	2080	361	275	298	
182	219	370	4305	(2857)	
1240	15	257	396	325	(4463)

### NINTH DAYS DRAWING.—Monday, May 8.

27	1039	2053	3133	4310	
30	55	74	163	355	
45	71	77	174	4306	
48	94	94	3261	518	
99	1101	2106	269	50	543
112	125	142	269	571	
119	143	158	295	569	
123	15	173	159	3341	4601
125	196	173	351	621	
162	15	1212	180	363	640
239	217	2239	3407	664	
266	230	259	444	690	
275	261	471	449	682	
277	264	2318	450	690	
291	1330	378	492	4727	
345	331	391	3518	786	
351	345	394	547	790	
411	353	2448	596	4670	
414	1402	440	3602	20	878
428	15	450	603	883	
441	50	473	657	895	
444	1534	457	682	100	5001
467	1805	2508	689	14	
496	644	514	8702	15	
497	680	519	719	59	
648	1704	579	729	66	
658	753	655	757	69	
741	781	598	50	784	79
746	791	2628	15	3008	5120
766	1816	500	20	818	124
772	827	706	873	162	
777	836	753	894	162	
798	877	757	3932	181	
832	1902	773	4037	5203	
839	935	775	4037	204	
873	944	763	15	91	237
874	972	2104	4187	247	
846	981	653	15	4258	260
932	994	2940	291	272	
973	2027	984	4300	284	

### ALL AGENTS.

Are required to close sales, and send in UN- SOLD TICKETS & NETT PROCEEDS, in twenty days from this date WITHOUT FURTHER ADVISE—and those persons having purchased Tickets upon the INSURANCE PRINCIPLE, must close their contracts immediately.

The 10th and last day's drawing will be made as soon as possible—but in consequence of its requiring some time to close accounts with Agents abroad and make disposition of unsold tickets in hands, the public must not expect it will take place under 60 or 90 days. Undrawn Tickets are now worth 15 DOLLARS each—but there being at great number in hand unsold, the price will not be advanced immediately. They can still be obtained for TEN DOLLARS, and Shares in proportion, notwithstanding the wheels have gained rising 10,000 Dollars.

The 11th class will shortly be announced.  
**J. M. PIKE, Manager.**

May 9.

**NEW GOODS.**  
**PRITCHETT AND ROBINSON** have just received their Spring Goods, consisting of a very general assortment of **MERCHANDISE.**

They invite their friends to give them a call, and pledge themselves to sell on as good terms as any in Lexington.  
May 2d 1826—18tf.

### LAW NOTICE.

**James Clarke and D. M. Woodson,** HAVE united in the practice of the Law in the Woodford circuit and county courts. Business entrusted to their care will be punctually attended to. Their office is in Versailles, where one of them may be always found. They will also practice in the Jessamine courts.  
May 2nd 1826—18tf.

**A. W. COTTEN, COMMISSION AGENT,** LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS TERRITORY. REFER TO

THOS SMITH & Co. New York.  
RICHARD B. BARKER, Pittsburgh, Penn.  
ROBT M. DAWSON, Wellsburg, Va.  
JOHN & THOMAS SIMPSON, Florence, Ala.  
ROBERT LAWRENCE & Co. Memphis, T.  
BENJ F. WEST & G. H. MALONE, N Orleans.  
KIRKMAN & FRWIN, & H. ERWIN Nashville, T.  
M. ANDREWS, Steubenville, Ohio.  
D. MILLER & Co. Mouth of White River, A. T.  
JOHN M'LAUN & JOS. HENDERSON, Little Rock, Ark. 1st  
Little Rock, May 2, 1825—22-3m.

## Dissolution of Partnership.

THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm of Foster & Varnum is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the firm are requested to make immediate payment to H. Foster who is authorized to settle the same. All persons having claims will present them for settlement.  
**HUGH FOSTER.**  
Lexington, May 1, 1825—18tf. **JOHN VARNUM.**

**HUGH FOSTER** continues business as usual in his old stand and has on hand for sale some of Austins best CLOTHS and CASSIMERS low for cash.

## LEXINGTON HOPE FOUNDRY.

### Richard Henry

HAS commenced the above business in all its branches, opposite the upper end of the Upper Market, where he is ready to make all kinds of

### Brass & Iron Castings

On the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms.  
CASH will be given for OLD COPPER, BRASS, and PEWEE.  
Lexington, Oct 14, 1825—41-1y

**For Sale, 145 ACRES OF FIRST RATE LAND.**

One mile and a half from Lexington on the Frankfort road, nearly one half is timbered land, the balance is in a good state of cultivation: a frame house and Orchard, and one of the best springs in Fayette county, and an indisputable title. The above land being the property of William L. McConnell dec'd, and is now offered for sale low for CASH by the heirs of said dec'd. For further particulars enquire of the subscriber in Lexington, and the terms will be made known by him and the land shown, &c.  
**GEORGE ROBINSON.**  
Lex. April 1, 1824—14-1tf.

### PORTER'S INN.

### R. W. Porter,

HAS removed to LEXINGTON and has opened a House of Entertainment at the stand formerly occupied by CHAS. WICKLIFFE Esq.—The house has been handsomely repaired and is not inferior to any for accommodation in the Western Country.

A new Stable will soon be erected and will be provided with every thing necessary. He hopes by his attention to the business to deserve the patronage of the Public.

The Eagle at Maysville, the Mount Sterling Whig, the Flemingsburgh Star, the Farmers Chronicle Richmond, Weekly Messenger, Russellville, Western Citizen, Paris, Argus, Frankfort, and Louisville Gazette will insert the above 6 months and forward their account for payment.  
Lexington Ky. April 21, 1826—16-6m.

## OLYMPIAN SPRINGS. BATH COUNTY, KENTUCKY.

THE subscriber has taken the *Olympian Springs*, so well known as a favourite watering place, and expects to remain at them for a term of years. He intends to keep a house of

### PRIVATE ENTERTAINMENT.

For visitors during the watering season, and for travellers at all times. The prices to travellers shall be as cheap as at any other good house of entertainment on the road, and to visitors during the watering season the prices as below stated. To those who may think proper to visit the *Olympian Springs* during that season, he promises to use his best exertion to please, and hopes none will go away dissatisfied.  
**TOOBS. I. GARRETT.**  
Rates of Boarding in specie during the Watering Season:  
For a Lady and Gentleman per week, \$4 00  
Children, do, 2 00  
Servant, do, 2 00  
Horse, do, 2 00  
Man and horse where they do not remain one week, per day 1 25  
Any person calling for any thing to eat between meals except the sick will be charged extra.  
Mr. WM H. CLAY will have PRACTISING BATHS during the watering season, which it is hoped will add to the pleasures and attractions of the springs.  
P. S. A POST OFFICE is established, and the mail will pass once or twice a week at least.  
**T. I. GARRETT.**  
April 25—17-3m.

### CASTINGS, FOUNDRY, AND

**Grocery Store.**

### Joseph Bruen,

HAS just received the following GOODS, viz: **SHOES FOR CHILDREN**, pegged and not pegged;

From Philadelphia, a complete assortment of **GARDEN SEEDS,**—**ALSO—GROCERIES.**

TEA, COFFEE, MUSTARD, SUGAR, PEPPER, INDIGO, CHOCOLATE, ALSPICE, STARCH, RAISINS, HONEY, CHEESE, FIGS, CINNAMON, SOAP, SALTS, CANDLES,

Spanish and Common CIGARS, **TOBACCO,** **SPERMACEAN OIL** for LAMPs, London Madeira, in Bottles, Sherry Wine, Domestic Wine, Cherry Brandy, two kinds, French Brandy, RUM, Old Peach Brandy, Old Whisky, Cordials, in bottles & by the gallon.

**LIQUID BLACKING,** In boxes do **RAZOR PASTE.**

N. B. For the convenience of many, he keeps Coffee ready roasted (in the Patent Cylinder,) also, best Pepper and Spice, ready ground. He hopes that the Coffee thus burnt will prove excellent, and far superior to any other, by those who will try it. There will be a separate list of his Garden Seeds, **JOSEPH BRUEN.**  
Lexington, Nov. 28, 1825—48tf

**COTTON.** A FEW Bales of Alabama Cotton of the first pick, for sale—also—fifth proof & Common proof

**WHISKEY.** of first quality, from the Union Mills—on reasonable terms.  
**JOHN BRAND.**  
Lex. Nov. 10 1825—45-1tf.

A CONSTANT SUPPLY OF **SADDLE TREES** WILL be kept at Mr. **JOHN BRYAN** and Son's Saddlery Shop on Main street, Lexington where saddlers may be supplied at all times.  
**JACOB BRONSTON.**  
March 6, 1826—10-1tf.

### MARNIX VIEDEN,

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends in Lexington, as well as visiting strangers, that he has provided himself with **A COMPLETE HACK.**

And strong gentle horses, and is now ready to accommodate such as may please to favour him with their custom. He intends driving himself, and from more than four years experience in driving in Lexington, he feels confident that his character as a safe and careful driver has been so well established, as to insure him a full share of public patronage. His residence is on Mill street, near the Lexington Steam Mill, where those who wish his services will please apply.  
Lexington, July 29th, 1825—30-1tf.

### Col. Solomon P. Sharp's Clients.

ARE informed, that his executors have employed **A DANIEL MAYES**, attorney at law, to close the unfinished business of Col. Sharp, in the several courts held in Frankfort and the adjoining counties. Mr. Mayes has taken possession of the room lately occupied by Col. Sharp, in Frankfort as a law office; and will regularly attend to any business of a professional character that may be confided to him. It is his intention to resign his station as a representative, immediately on the rising of the legislature & to reside in Frankfort.  
Dec 16th 1825—50-6m

### LAW NOTICE.

**J. M. McCalla and J. O. Harrison,** HAVE united in the practice of the law, in the Fayette and Jessamine courts. Their office is kept at the corner of short and upper streets, opposite the public square, in the room lately occupied by Dr. Warfield; where one or both may at all times be found.  
Lexington Dec 8, 1825—49-1tf.

### WHEAT.

THE highest price in CASH will be given for good Merchantable

### WHEAT

At the ALLUVIAL MILLS in Lexington, where may be always had, Superfine

### FLOUR

And excellent CORN MEAL.  
**JOSEPH BARNETT.**  
Dec. 16th 1825.—50-1tf

### RAGS, RAGS.

I WILL give, two and a half cents per lb, for good clean linnen and cotton rags delivered at my store, corner of Cheap Side Lexington.  
18—1tf **G. W. ANDERSON.**

### Lancasterian Seminary.

THE fourth Session in this Institution will commence on the first Monday in March next. Tuition fees will be in gold or silver.  
**WILLIAM DICKINSON Prinl.**  
February 22 1826—8-1tf

### The Celebrated Maryland Pony,

### LITTLE TOM,

STANDS this season at Mr. GEORGE DUNLAPs, 3 miles east of Lexington on the Boonsborough road, and will be let to mares at the moderate price of three Dollars specie the single lesp; payable in hand, Five Dollars the season payable on the 25th December next, or Four Dollars if paid within the season, and Seven Dollars and fifty Cents to ensure a mare with foal, payable when it is ascertained—Any person parking with a mare before it is known, will be liable for the insurance. The season has commenced and expires the 1st of August. TOM has a number of colts in his vicinity, equal to those of any other horse in point of size and figure and are allowed by judges to have fine bone. For Pedigree see bills.  
**G & A. DUNLAP.**  
April 14 1826—15tf

State of Kentucky, Jessamine Circuit Set April term 1826  
Thomas S. Smith and others Complainants  
AGENTS,  
Samuel McD. Moore and Sarah Moore administrators of Andrew Moore dec'd. DEFENDANTS.  
IN CHANCERY.

THIS day came the complainants by their counsel and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendants are not inhabitants of this Commonwealth and they having failed to enter their appearance herein agreeably to law and the rules of this court. Therefore on motion of the complainants it is ordered that unless the said defendants do appear here on or before the first day of the next July Term of this court and answer the Complainants bill the same will be taken for confessed against them, and it is further ordered that a copy of this order be inserted in some authorized newspaper printed in this Commonwealth for two calendar months successively and this cause is continued until the next Term.  
A copy test  
19—2m **DANL B. PRICE, Clk. j. c. c.**

### CROSS KEYS

THE Subscriber has taken this well known stand on the corner of Main and Spring streets; where he intends keeping a house of

### Entertainment,

for those who may favor him with their custom. Having had long experience in this business he hopes his TABLE, BAR, STABLE and WAGGON YARD will give general satisfaction.  
**E. H. HERNDON.**  
March 13th 1826—11-1tf

### NEW GOODS.

THE Subscriber is now opening a large and splendid assortment of SPRING & SUMMER GOODS, selected by himself, consisting of British, India, French and Domestic, among which are—  
Blue and Black Ectorial Superfine Saxony and London CLOTHS—Lugrain Carpeting—Belling Cloth, Nos. 3, 5, 6 and 7—Flowered Paper for rooms.  
An extensive assortment of Saddlery—Groceries—Hardware—China & Liverpool Wares. All of which will be sold at his usual low rates. To Wholesale purchasers he can offer inducements.  
**JOHN TILFORD,**  
No. 49, Main street, Lexington, Ky.  
March 12 1826—4tf.

P. S. The lovers of good WINE can be supplied with a few Half Barrels on reasonable terms.  
**J. T.**